Surah 93 Surah Duha

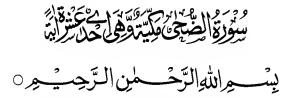
THE LIGHT OF DAY

THE LINK BETWEEN SURAH DUHA AND THE PRECEDING SURAHS

Surah Layl terminates the discussion that began with Surah A'la. Surahs Duha and Inshiraah proceed to console Rasulullaah so that he may not become despondent when propagating the message of the beliefs of Islaam.

A SUMMARY OF THE SURAH

The first five verses of the Surah reply to an objection raised by the Mushrikeen, reassuring Rasulullaah that Allaah has not forsaken him, and will certainly grant him even more in the Aakhirah. The remaining verses remind Rasulullah about Allaah's many followers.



In the name of Allaah, the Most Compassionate, the Most Merciful



1. By the (oath of the) light of day (the rising sun)!



2. By the night when it settles (becomes completely dark)!

3. Your Rabb has neither forsaken you (O Rasulullaah) nor does He dislike you. (These verses were revealed to console Rasulullaah when the Mushrikeen taunted him because he had not received revelation for sometime.)

4. The Aakhirah is certainly much better for you than this world (so do not worry about the taunts and difficulties of this world because they will increase your rewards in the Aakhirah).

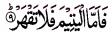
5. Your Rabb shall soon give you (abundant bounties in the Aakhirah) and you shall be pleased.

6. (Allaah shall continue to bless you with His bounties just as He did in the past. For example,) Did He not find you orphaned (when your father passed away before your birth and your mother when you were only six) and grant you shelter (when your grandfather and uncle cared for you with great affection afterwards)?

7. Did He not find you uninformed (about the Shari'ah of Islaam) and show you the way (by informing you about its details)?

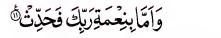
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8. Did He not find you poor (without much wealth) **and made you independant** (when the wealthy lady Khadeeja proposed to marry you and you accepted)?



9. So (keeping these bounties in mind) do not be harsh with the orphan...

10. ...and do not scold the beggar (because they need your help just as much as you also once needed help). (By doing this, you will be expressing gratitude to Allaah in a practical manner.)



11.. Speak about the favours of your Rabb (out of some of gratitude to Allaah).